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Applicant..... Microsoft Corporation
Group Art Unit..... 2136
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Title: Improved Tate Pairing Techniques for use with Hyperelliptic Curves

AMENDMENTS

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 12, 2007

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated January 12, 2007, for which the three month statutory period for response is set for April 12, 2007. Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 17 of this paper.